

Monday 26th September

## Building aspiration—Mini Police programme

Year 5 and 6 took part in the Mini Police programme on 3 mornings last week. We welcomed PC Phil Rees and Colin Stirling into our school. The children learnt about the police, policing, community and keeping safe online.

We have made posters for the local park to encourage everyone to look after this facility and the children will be putting these up later this week and combining this with a litter pick.

This was the first time we had taken part in this project and it is a great example of children learning how they can make a difference to their local community and build aspiration.



## Being courageous and persevering -surfing class 2

Our Year 3 and 4 children had a surf day at Gwithian with Global Boarders. For many of the children in Year 3 this was the first time they had tackled the waves and they were quite big last Thursday! The children showed real courage and perseverance with all children having a go and trying their very best. The children had a real sense of achievement and Elijah managed to stand up for the first time and ride a wave!

Well done to all children!



## Bringing Learning Alive - Class 1 Visit to Penlee Museum

On Friday Class 1 visited Penlee Museum as part of their topic learning to find out about schools a long time ago.

The children looked at objects and pictures from the past. They even had a go at trying to write with pen and ink!



## Harvest Festival

We are celebrating our Harvest Festival on Wednesday 5th October at **10:00**. Please join us at Madron Church for this event this year.

We know times are hard but if the children can bring in a small gift to go the Penzance Food Bank that would be very generous. We look forward to seeing you there!



## Children Flourishing at Madron Daniel Weekly Awards

### w/e 16th September

#### Star of the week

Class 1 Harrison

Class 2 Rhys

#### Perseverance

Class 1 Brody

Class 2 Layton

#### Courage

Class 1 All of reception

Class 2 Rory

#### Generosity

Class 2 Olivia

#### Golden Token

Class 1 Benjamin

Class 2 -

### w/e 23rd September

#### Star of the week

Class 1 Louise

Class 2 Evie

#### Perseverance

Class 1 Harley

Class 2 Year 5 and Year 6

#### Respect

Class 1 Emilia

#### Courage

Class 2 Year 3 and Year 4

#### Generosity

Class 2 Kacey

#### Golden Token

Class 1 Rocco

Class 2 Wesley

### Cornwall Rural Community Charity

#### Free cooking advice and meals –helping out with the cost of living don't miss out!

This project will be teaching small groups how to cook economic, healthy meals in batches and how to store and freeze them safely.

We will be running these free sessions in the Landithy Hall in Madron on Thursdays from the second week in November. The classes will be taken by a good fun professional local chef and will run for about two and a half hours around the middle of the day. They will finish well in time for school pick up.

The intention is to pass on cooking skills to help families cook cheaply and well, but by using as little expensive electric or gas as possible.

The groups will be of 6-8 people and each group will be taught once a week for three weeks. At each session not only will the participants be taught useful skills and tips but they will also go home with meals for a family of four, for three or four days. All of the ingredients will be free.

Every three weeks another group will start. Please pop into the office and let us know if you are interested

### Family Support worker

We offer Family Support Advice available from our schools link Family Worker, Sally Sharp on any issues that may be affecting your family.

This is a friendly, supportive service that meets your needs or introduces you to a service that can help you.

Parenting courses and information on these can also be given. If you feel you need some friendly advice or any kind of family support please feel free to contact school and we will arrange for Sally to contact you directly.

Sally is popping into school for a coffee morning on Tuesday 11th October at 9:30am



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### Dates for your diary

Friday 30th September	2:30pm Reception class Reading and Phonics Meeting
Tuesday 4th October	Year 6 to Humphry Davy School
Wednesday 5th October	<b>Harvest Festival 10:00am - in school</b>
Thursday 6th October	Year 6 to Mounts Bay School
Tuesday 11th October	Class 2 visit to St Michael's Mount
Monday 17th October	Parent consultations this week

### **Monday 24th October—Friday 28th October Half term**

Monday 31st October School opens

*Christmas performances dates to be confirmed with Miss Judge, we will let you know asap*

Monday 28th November Madron Feast School Closed INSET day

Friday 16th December 11am Christingle Service @ Madron Church School

### **Monday 19th December—Monday 2nd January—Christmas Break**

Tuesday 3rd January Spring term starts

Monday 6th February Parents consultations

### **Monday 13th February—Friday 17th February—Spring half term**

Monday 20th February School opens

### **Monday 3rd April—Friday 14th April - Easter Break**

Monday 17th April Summer term begins

Monday 2nd May Bank Holiday

Monday 8th May Year 6 SATS week

### **Monday 29th May— Friday 2nd June—Half term**

Monday 5th June School Opens

Friday 21st July Leavers Assembly 11:30am in School. School finishes at 1:30pm

Monday 24th July and Tuesday 25th July INSET days school closed

### **Madron Parent Group**

**Join us in the canteen or coffee on Tuesday morning 9-10 and Friday afternoons 2-3pm. A place to chat, have a cuppa and share ideas to work together to help the school. See you there!**



This is a new ensemble for young musicians in West Cornwall. After a fabulous start last term we are delighted to invite new players to join us for a **free taster session** on 26th September. (£30 for the term thereafter)

Players of all instruments and all levels are welcome!!

Come and make music with new friends and improve your musical skills!

Monday 26th Sept  
at Madron Daniel CE  
School, Penzance  
from 4-5pm

## New Ensemble **Play West**

For more information or to register your interest please contact Christine Judge:  
[CJudge@CornwallMusicServiceTrust.org](mailto:CJudge@CornwallMusicServiceTrust.org)

